

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF PUERTO RICO**

In re:

THE FINANCIAL OVERSIGHT AND  
MANAGEMENT BOARD OF PUERTO RICO

As representative of

THE COMMONWEALTH OF PUERTO  
RICO, *et al.*

Debtors

PROMESA (TITLE III)

NO. 17 BK 3283 (LTS)

(Jointly Administered)<sup>1</sup>

**MOTION JOINING AND IN SUPPORT OF  
AD HOC PUERTO RICO MUNICIPALITIES COMMITTEE’S REQUEST FOR AN  
ORDER PURSUANT TO 48 U.S.C. §2161 AND 11 U.S.C. §1102 DIRECTING THE  
APPOINTMENT OF AN OFFICIAL PUERTO RICO MUNICIPALITIES COMMITTEE**

**TO THE HONORABLE COURT:**

**COMES NOW** Autonomous Municipality of Ponce (hereafter, “AMP”), creditor and party-in-interest as to the **Commonwealth of Puerto Rico** hereto through the undersigned counsel Hector R. Cuprill, Esq. and Carlos Fernandez-Nadal, Esq., partner and off counsel, respectively of CUPRILL LAW OFFICES, PSC, and respectfully states and prays:

1. Ad Hoc Puerto Rico Municipalities Committee (Committee), has requested order for the appointment of an official Puerto Rico Municipalities Committee (Docket No. 709).
  2. As one of the largest municipalities of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, AMP supports and joins the motion presented by the Committee, and advances its desire to have a representative of
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AMP to said Committee, given the substantial claims which AMP has against not only the Commonwealth but several of its instrumentalities, as well as the interrelationship in the provision of services to their mutual constituency, which shall be critical to the success of orderly reorganization process.

3. For purposes of expediency and avoidance of duplication, AMP hereby incorporates by reference, as if literally stated herein, all the pertinent legal arguments stated by the Committee in its aforementioned request.

**RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED.**

In Ponce, Puerto Rico, on July 27, 2017.

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